

CLUB WOMEN ADJOURN

**CLOSE OF THE STATE CONVENTION
AT CRAWFORDSVILLE.**

**Officers Elected and Fort Wayne Se-
lected as the Place of Meeting
in October, 1904.**

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, May 21.—The State convention of the Indiana Union of Literary Clubs closed at noon to-day. The new officers are:

President—Mrs. Eva Rohbock, of Washburn.

Vice President—Miss Eliza Browning, of Indianapolis.

Secretary—Mrs. C. E. Woodworth, of Knight, of Crawfordville.

Chairman of the Programme Committee—Mrs. M. L. Sayler, of Elwood.

The members of the programme committee elected are W. E. Davis, of Fort Wayne; Miss Caroline Howland, of Indianapolis; Mrs. J. P. D. John, of Greencastle; Mrs. Thelma Bennett, of Wallace; Mrs. Mary Tharp is a member of this committee ex officio. The following committees have been appointed:

Business Committee—Mrs. George Feltz, Fort Wayne, chairman; Mrs. S. M. Reynolds, of Terre Haute; Mrs. Horace Woodby, of Greencastle, and Mrs. Eva Rohbock, of Washburn.

Course Committee—Mrs. C. B. Woodworth, of Fort Wayne, chairman; Mrs. J. Brooks, of Bedford; Mrs. M. V. Deegle, of Hartford; Mrs. Chumlea, of Hartford.

Literary Committee—Mrs. J. W. Youche, of Crown Point, chairman; Mrs. F. C. Adams, of Bluffton; Mrs. John Morrison, of Marquette; Mrs. J. H. Wark, of Newburgh; Mrs. A. B. Anderson, of Crawfordsville, and one member to be appointed by next meeting, of Plymouth.

Education Committee—Mrs. May Wright

A resolution instituting a new committee on the part of the city school board, as a committee, was passed, and Mrs. Byer, of Terre Haute, was appointed chairman. The time of the annual meetings was changed to October, and in 1904 the meeting was held on the 10th of that month. Mrs. Virginia Meredith spoke for the committee, and said that in all the work of the department was doing was to create a public sentiment for its task, and that it was not only a matter of an act, a science and a philosophy. "The people of this city," she said, "are Mrs. E. O. Hiller, of the Domestic Science Department, and Mrs. C. E. Hiller, of the Home Economics Department." Resolutions were passed thanking the people for the royal entertainment.

Prof. W. A. Mills, of the city school board, said that he had not been doing nothing, and had not recommended the election of women on school board.

Mrs. C. B. Woodworth, of Fort Wayne reported that there are now two traveling art collections in the State, one illustrating French art and the other on technique. One on American art will be completed in short time.

Mrs. F. L. Saylor, of Fort Wayne, suggested some "Practical Work for the Union of Clubs." She urged the local clubs to live up to their objects in some practical manner. The club should see to beautify

their towns. Some of the men are expected to report next year upon this work. Still, I thought that each town should have a person to gather local history of the local club and other matters of interest.

STORM IN INDIANA.

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planting will now go forward rapidly. The oats crop is already cut short by the dry weather. Wheat is uninjured, save a trifle by the Hessian fly, and promises a large crop.

Shade Trees Damaged.

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ANDERSON, Ind., May 21.—One of the heaviest rainstorms in the history of the

city raged for an hour at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The wind was of hurricane proportions, and considerable damage was done to the hatched trees of which all Anderson is proud. It was reported that the farmhouse of Dan Lee, at the edge of the city, was unroofed, but none of the inmates injured. The streets were flooded, and about two inches of rain had registered during the period of the storm.

Storm in Morgan County.

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MARTINSVILLE, Ind., May 21.—The rainstorm in this locality late this afternoon was unusually severe. A great deal

Farmers Rejoice Over Rain.
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PARKER Ind., May 21.—There is general rejoicing, especially among the farmers, due to the heavy downpour of rain here this afternoon. Corn planting had been practically abandoned on account of the continued dry weather making it impossible to place ground in condition for planting.

but very little damage has been reported.

Severe Blow at Crawfordsville.
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CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., May 21.—The storm this evening touched this city, but there was no damage to buildings so far as reported. The wind was heavy, however, and did considerable damage to shade trees and shrubbery. Gen. Lew Wallace's beautiful lawn suffered from the storm, some of his shade trees being blown down.

Streets Flooded.
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was an exceptionally heavy rainfall to night, which flooded the streets and washed away many foot bridges and culverts.

SEVERAL SMALL TORNADOES.

Lives Lost and Persons Injured In Kansas and Texas.

SALINA, Kan., May 21.—The third tornado in Salina county within the last twenty-four hours struck Assaria to-night. William and Peter Olson were killed and a dozen or more were injured. None was fatally hurt. Houses were upset and wheat was injured by rain and hail.

ASHLAND, Kan., May 21.—The best residence portion of Ashland was wrecked to day by a tornado. A score or more houses were destroyed. No one was killed, but

CHICKASHA, I. T., May 21.—A tornado struck the country about 10 miles west of Chickasha, on the Mangrove branch of the Rock Island. Four houses were blown down and the contents scattered. Mrs. Hargan, wife of a farmer, was blown against a barbed-wire fence and killed. Her husband, who was in the telephone wire, destroying trees, fences and outbuildings.

AMARILLO, Tex., May 21.—The Panhandle country was visited by a severe storm. The home of M. R. Wilson, near Herford, was blown down, killing Mrs. Wilson and child and fatally injuring Mr. Wilson. Corn and wheat were done to property in the vicinity of Amarillo.

ORD, Neb., May 21.—Word has come that a tornado to-night visited the farming country near Ord. The houses and barns were wrecked. There were no fatalities. Telephone wires were down, all the main roads were blocked. There was heavy rain and much damage to crops.

DALLAS, Tex., May 21.—A local tornado struck a town of about 200 people in the house of D. Wilson, near Summerdale, killing Mrs. Wilson and her child. Her infant child was killed. Mr. Wilson was injured.

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